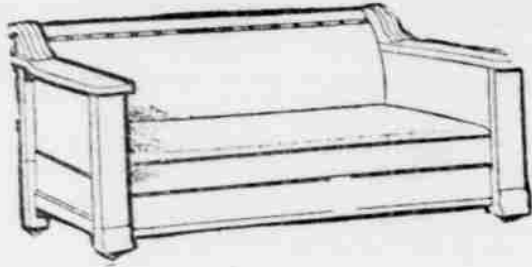


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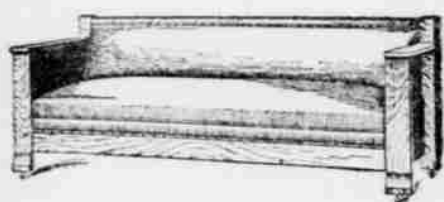
Bed Davenports

Included in this sale will be found a number of davenports which have just arrived, thus assuring you of the latest patterns as well as improvements, all to be sold at a reduction of from 20% to 30%. See our display and get our prices; it will mean a great saving to you. Space permits us to describe but a few of the many values, and only a visit to our store can acquaint you with the full immensity of this sale.

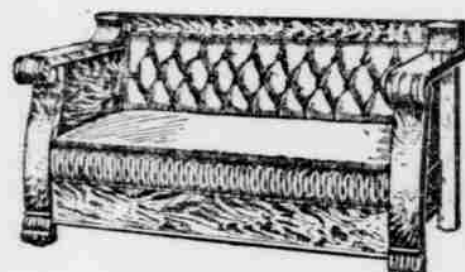


Revolving seat bed davenport, like cut, which makes a complete bed by the mere turning over of the seat. Holds bedding, mattress, etc., in the seat part and obscures them from view when bed is not in use. Framework is of a very neat design, made up with the plain back and seat, upholstered in a good grade of Spanish moroccline. Regular \$45.00 value, our sale price **\$32.85**

NOTHING has ever equalled its popularity; marked by structural strength, it is finished by conscientious craftsmen and its sturdy direct grace of design forms a fitting frame for its marvelous mechanism; sane, simple, sanitary, sightly.



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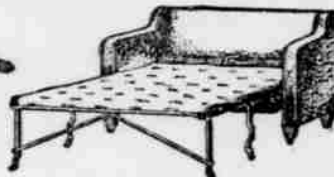
The Davenport, similar to cut, although shorter in width than the large davenport, makes a full size bed when opened. Construction of solid oak in either the golden or fumed finish. The covering is of Spanish moroccline with the plain back (no tufts) and seat. Regular \$34.00 value, our sale price **\$21.90**



Revolving seat bed davenport, similar to cut, being upholstered in a good grade of Spanish moroccline, framework made of solid oak and can be had in either the golden or fumed finish. Makes a complete bed by turning over the seat; as complete as any davenport and as useful as any bed. Regular value \$34.00, on sale **\$26.75**

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AT THE MAJESTIC.

Bessie Love, who practically became a film favorite overnight, has had her first taste of a real audience. It was while she was appearing in the theatre scenes of "Stranded," the Triangle play which stars De Wolf Hopper, that Director Floyd Ingram secured a hundred strangers to fill the spectator seats to witness Bessie's act, in accordance with the Anita Loos scenario. "The sensation was a strange one," said Miss Love. "At first I was extremely nervous, and Mr. Hopper, observing this, told me to brace up and go out on the stage in the same spirit as though all the people out front were my school

friends, and that my success depended on what I did in this theatre scene. Benefiting by his advice, I played my scene with perfect confidence, but after it was all over, I shook like a leaf. I can now appreciate what a first night performance means to stage folks." De Wolf Hopper is characterizing the role of a dignified old actor in "Stranded," with Bessie Love as a little girl of the theatre. Loyola O'Connor, Robert Lawler, Frank Bennett and Carl Stockdale are in the supporting cast. "Stranded" is to be seen tonight at the Majestic.

AT SPENCER SQUARE.

If all countesses are as charming as Countess Cippico (formerly Rita Jolivet) it is no wonder that to be a countess is the aspiration of most American girls. Countess Cippico had not been at the Morosco studio two days before she had endeared herself in the hearts of everyone there from her director, Frank Lloyd, to the caretaker of her dressing room. They are all so enthusiastic about her that they predict, "An International Mar-

riage" to be one of the most attractive and beautiful photoplays ever produced. This Morosco-Paramount production comes to the Spencer Square today and tomorrow.

The adviser and good friend of thousands of lovers, Beatrice Fairfax knows the inner secrets of the human heart. Now she may be seen on the screen at the Spencer Square, beginning Sunday, in living, moving reality—in a series of dramatic love stories, filled with wholesome adventure and appealing romance. Harry Fox and Grace Darling are stars appearing in each episode.

Learn English at Night.

Washington, Sept. 1.—The bureau of education's campaign to enroll immigrants in night schools and learn English opened today. A committee of 100 representative citizens throughout the country will assist in enlisting the interest of school superintendents, chambers of commerce, labor organizations and public spirited associations.

AUGUST BUILDING GOES TO \$138,366

Seventy-six Permits Are Issued By
Municipal Inspector and \$283.61
Is Collected In Fees.

NINETEEN DWELLINGS ON LIST

Licenses Issued for Construction of
25,901 Square Feet of Concrete
Sidewalk in Rock Island.

Building operations started in Rock Island during the month closing yesterday will cost \$138,366, according to the records of the office of Municipal Building Inspector C. V. Johnson. Estimates filed total \$110,693, to which the customary 25 per cent for under-estimate is added. Value of heating plants installed is \$16,738.

Seventy-six building and heating permits were issued as follows:
New dwellings 19
Remodeling 14
Barns and garages 7
Porches 3
Factory 1
Wrecking job 1
Steam heating plants 4
Hot water plants 2
Hot air furnaces 21

Total 76
During the month Mr. Johnson issued permits for 25,901 square feet of concrete sidewalk. Fees collected totaled \$283.61.

Ten Issued This Week.

Appended is the list of building permits for the week closing today:
D. R. Holloper for J. A. Bengston, 1320 Eleventh street, dwelling \$2,000
H. A. Lohse for F. Thierman, 721 Twenty-ninth street, garage 90
E. P. Wolfrum, 1600 Twenty-ninth street, dwelling 1,200
Clyde W. Findlay for Phil J. Miller, 1808 Second avenue, storeroom 275
H. F. Spitznas, 2115 Twenty-fourth street, dwelling 1,000
W. B. Smith for L. L. Carnes, 2306 Seventh avenue, remodeling 2,000
S. R. Daxon, 518 Forty-second avenue, remodeling 600
A. Langman, 2501 Twentieth avenue, dwelling 1,000
W. Weyerhaeuser for Herbert Shubert, 1101 Eleventh avenue, garage 200
A. Stenhiiber, 2529 Fifth-and-a-half avenue, remodeling 200
Total for week \$9,565

CONCERT AUDIENCE STICKS DURING RAIN

Rock Island last night went on record with a bona fide endorsement of that old adage, "Music hath charms to soothe the savage breast."

Scores of persons stood on the hillside of Long View park last night with umbrellas raised, listening to the strains from Bleuer's band while old J. J. J. did his best to discourage the enthusiasm of the auditors. When the concert started at 8 o'clock the skies were dark with clouds. There were several hundred people at the park, however, when the concert began, but all had come prepared. When the first drop of moisture fell shower sticks were raised and but a very few people left the park. Those who did stay were present when the final number was given at 10:30 o'clock.

Appended is the program of the concert, which was one of the Rosenfield memorial series:

"America."
March, "Heart of America." (Pyron)
Serenade, "Love in Idleness" (MacBeth).
Selection from "Adele" (Lampe).
Patrol, "The Blue and the Gray" (Dolly).
Overture, "Poet and Peasant" (Suppel).
Grand selection from "The Serenade" (Herbert).
"Memories" (Von Alstyne); "Pretty Baby" (Von Alstyne).
Waltz, "Sounds From the Vienna Woods" (Strauss).
Descriptive, "The Cavalry Charge" (Luedens).
"The Star Spangled Banner."

SARAH MARSHALL IS DEAD IN 87TH YEAR

(Special to The Argus.)
Cordova, Ill., Sept. 1.—Mrs. Sarah Marshall, 87 years old, a pioneer of Rock Island county, died at 3:30 this morning. Death was caused by infirmities of age. Mrs. Marshall fell asleep Sunday evening at 8 and did not regain consciousness.

Mrs. Marshall was born in New Jersey and, when a child, came with her parents to this section of Illinois. Until about ten years ago she resided on a farm near Cordova. Jacob Marshall, her husband, died three years ago.

Surviving Mrs. Marshall are two daughters, Mrs. C. C. Opdyke and Mrs. Bruce Buckley, both of Cordova. The funeral will be held Sunday.

LONG SENTENCE IS GIVEN TO NEGRESS

Rosa Green and Frances Timmins, Davenport negroes who were arrested Sunday night by Detective Schert on a holdup charge, received a hearing yesterday afternoon before Police Magistrate Smith. The Timmins woman was sentenced to serve six months in the county jail and Rosa Green was fined \$14.10, being released after the fine had been paid. J. A. Thompson, complaining witness in the case, charged that the pair stopped him at Fifteenth street and Third avenue Monday and that the Timmins woman took \$15 from him and ran.

Study 1918 Eclipse.
Philadelphia, Sept. 1.—The American Astronomical society now in annual meeting at Swarthmore college, has authorized the appointment of a committee to study the solar eclipse of June 8, 1918.

Tests U. S. Flyers.
Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 1.—Lieutenant J. C. Bellinger, of the United States army aviation corps today began a series of tests bearing upon the practical use of flying machines for coast guard patrol duty.

Saturday, Sept. 2nd, is
the Last Day of

The Manhattan Shirt Sale

\$1.50 grade for	\$1.15	\$3.00 grade for	\$1.95
\$2.00 grade for	\$1.55	\$3.50 grade for	\$2.85
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NEWS NOTES from MOVIELAND

Gladys Hulette, Thanouser star, seeks the ugliest pup in the world. Other motion picture actresses may have overpowered ambitions for a herd of motor cars, some may seek jewels, a few may hope to marry the most beautiful man alive, but those desires are not a part of Gladys Hulette. She wants an ugly pup.

Miss Hulette, who has just finished making "The Shine Girl," a Thanouser production that is to be released through Pathé, is now working with William Farke, her director, on a picture to be called "Prudence, the Pirate." Miss Agnes C. Johnston, who wrote the story, entered in the cast "Panthus, the ugliest puppy in captivity."

This pup is to be Miss Hulette's chum throughout her adventures in the picture.

Marguerite to Quit.
Marguerite Clark, reaching a height of popularity which makes her nearly so popular as Mary Pickford, is to quit the movies soon to capitalize her popularity on the stage. This is to be in a musical comedy to be produced by Charles Dillingham.

No longer is there talk about a stage star losing drawing power on the stage by permitting herself to be shown in pictures.

Miss Clark says she won't appear in pictures for at least a year after the conclusion of her present contract with the Famous Players.

Doris Baker, now appearing in Fox pictures, is to be seen on the screen at present in two current feature releases. One is the Kolb and Dill picture, "Glory," in which 9-year-old Doris had one of the biggest roles in the picture, and the other the Universal picture, "A Daughter of the Night." At present Miss Doris is at Huntington Lake with Director Walter Reed's Fox company, and in which Doris has a program of stunts to do that would challenge the courage of a much older photo-player.

William J. Tedmarsh, having traveled around the world before settling down at Santa Barbara and the American Film studio four years ago, has been out of that city but twice in that time. He says he has at last found the world's choicest spot and is content to stay right there.

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Oranges, California, juicy, sweet, a dozen 35c
Lemons, Sunkist brand, large, extra smooth, fancy, a dozen 38c
Grapes, California, white, a pound 10c
Peaches, eating, fine flavor, a basket 18c
Pears, Bartlett, eating, a basket 15c
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